



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT *AP* *JPW*Re: Attorney Docket No. Bessios 5application of: Anthony BessiosSerial No.: 10/035,928
Filed: 12/26/01
Matter No.: 992.1024Group Art Unit: 2633
Examiner: Leung, Christina V.
Phone No.: 571-272-3023For: Compensation of Polarization Mode Dispersion In Single Mode Fiber for Maximum-Likelihood Sequence EstimationAMENDMENT TRANSMITTALCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee for claims is required.

	Claims After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Additional Fee
Total		minus 20 =	0 x 50 =	\$
Independent		minus 3 =	0 x 200 =	\$
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			0 x 360 =	\$
			TOTAL FEE	\$

☒ It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is calculated as shown below.Response filed within:☒ first - \$ 120.00☐ second - \$ 450.00☐ third - \$1,020.00☐ fourth - \$1,590.00☐ fifth - \$2,160.00

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01 FC:1251 120.00 DA☐ Form PTO-2038 authorizing credit card payment in the amount of \$_____.☒ Please charge **Mendelsohn & Associates, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0782** the amount of \$120.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-0782**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.☒ Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.Date: 3/15/06
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final office action of 11/10/05 and the advisory action of 2/17/06, please amend the application as follows.

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Certification Under 37 CFR 1.8

Date of Deposit March 15, 2006.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited in the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail under 37 CFR 1.8 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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